

## NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening whenever an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

### SECRETARY OF STATE

1. **Title and its heading:** 1, Rules and the Rulemaking Process  
**Chapter and its heading:** 1, Secretary of State - Rules and Rulemaking  
**Articles and their headings:** 1, General Provisions  
2, *The Arizona Administrative Register*  
3, *Arizona Administrative Code*  
4, Rule Drafting  
5, Proposed Rulemaking  
6, Final Rulemaking  
7, Emergency Rulemaking  
8, Summary Rulemaking  
9, Exempt Rulemaking  
**Section numbers:** R1-1-101, R1-1-104 through R1-1-114; R1-1-201 through R1-1-212; R1-1-301 through R1-1-308; R1-1-401 through R1-1-414; R1-1-501 through R1-1-507; R1-1-601; R1-1-701; R1-1-801; and R1-1-901
2. **Subject matter of the proposed rule:**  
The Secretary of State's Office is opening a rulemaking docket on the above in order to make some clerical corrections and other changes due largely to oral comments from agencies which have used these provisions since the amendments to the Arizona Administrative Procedure Act and these rules took effect January 1, 1995. Also, in the 1995 legislative session, additional changes were made to the Administrative Procedure Act which require rule changes in A.A.C. Title 1, Chapter 1.  
**The agency docket number, if applicable:** None
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**  
None published.
4. **Name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**  
Name: Mimi Griffiths  
Director, Public Services Department  
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Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2888  
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5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**  
Written comments will be accepted between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.  
Oral comments will be accepted between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday.  
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6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action in the proceeding:**  
None.